RISE 450 and 625 Manual/Traverse Ceiling Lift
Competency Assessment

Competency Statement: After attending this orientation, the clinician will be able to properly use specialty equipment according to manufacturer's recommendations. If the performance criteria are not met, additional training will be provided. If the caregiver has any questions always consult the product owner manual prior to use or contact your Handicare Representative.

Directions: Check the appropriate box for each performance criteria. Schedule retraining as indicated.

Describe and demonstrate equipment features	**Verbalized understanding**	**Performed**	**Needs review**
Safety checks • Battery charge adequate for task • Only lift patient off surface high enough to complete task. Never lift patient over bed side rails • Sling free of defects, tears or fraying of loops			
Operation of RISE 450 and 625 Manual/Traverse			
1. Identify lift capacity is within limits for patient			
2. Sling selection and application competency • Highback sling • Limb strap • Repositioning			
3. Select appropriate sling for task and position under patient			
4. Press down button on hand control to lower sling bar to attach sling			
5. Move lift to receiving surface and center lift over bed or chair using hand control for auto traverse or pull by hand for manual placement			
6. Attach sling to sling bar* Use the same colored loop on the patient's left side as the patient's right side. Select shorter shoulder loops and longer leg loops for upright seating. Select longer shoulder loops and shorter leg loops for more reclined seating.			
7. Press "up" button on lift or hand control to raise patient off surface or to reposition patient in bed			
8. Press "down" button on lift or hand control to lower patient in place to complete task and to remove sling from sling bar			
9. Unhook sling from sling bar (verbalize method)			
10. Battery: Locate and understand display, operate emergency stop switch, verbalize understanding of charging			
11. Locate and operate emergency down			
12. Observe and verbalize understanding of Lift/Transfer from chair, bed, floor			
13. Demonstrate proper body mechanics when moving lift with patient			
14. Caregiver can verbalize as to where the user manual is kept on the unit			

*If attaching a seated sling or limb sling, the sling bar will be parallel with the patient's shoulders. Repositioning sling types should be connected with the sling bar perpendicular to the patient's shoulders.

I understand how to use the equipment and all of my questions have been answered. If I have any questions prior to use of lift I will consult the owner/user manual for the RISE Ceiling lift product.

Name: _____ Title_____ Signature_____

Evaluator signature:_____Date_____

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